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WORLD'S FAIR SUED BY

EXHIBITOR FOR \$140,200.

Heavy Losses by Failure of Ex-

position to Keep Promise.

The Jerusalem Exhibit Company filed

suit in the Circuit Court vesterday against

pany for \$140,200 damages on five counts. It alleges that on June 16, 1903, it en-

tered into a contract with the Exposition

structing buildings and installing exhibits

ages are asked.

Two thousand dollars is asked for the alleged failure of the Exposition Company to construct a road from the Jaffe gate to the Machinery building.

STUDENTS OBSERVE COLLEGE

the Fair. Large numbers of students from

ducational institutions are visiting the

Fair as individuals, and, besides, several

colleges are represented as bodies. Stu-

lents of the Western Military Academy of Upper Alton, Ill., attended the Exposition yesterday in a body. The cadets were in uniform and during the day gave a drill in Plaza St. Louis under command of General A. M. Jackson. About 149 cadets took

erai A. M. Jackson. About the lass of the part.

The advance senior Latin class of the Central High School, thirty strong, in charge of I. N. Jackson, visited the Exposition yesterday in a body.

President Francis has received notification from Doctor Stanley A. McKay, president of Shurtleff College, of Upper Alton, Ill., that the students of the college would attend the Exposition in a body to-day.

The following notice was issued yester-day afternoon to members of the Board of

chase Exposition Company are requested to meet at the West Pavilion at 10 a. m.

Thanksgiving Day to proceed in a body to Festival Hall, where a Thanksgiving meet-

ing will be participated in by the clergy

of all denominations in the city. The Di-

or all denominations in the city. The Directors of the Exposition will act as escort to the clergy and to national, foreign and State commissions and to the Board of Lady Managers. The President requests a full attendance. The meeting will begin at 10:30 a. m. and will consist of addresses by representatives of several denominations."

GOVERNOR TOOLE DEPARTS.

Montana's Chief Executive to Visit

New Orleans Before Returning Home After a visit of several days to the

World's Fair Governor Joseph K. Toole of Montana departed yesterday for New

Orleans, where he will remain for a short

companied by Mrs. Toole and their two sons, Warren and Joseph Porter. Governor Toole was the first Governor of Montana, is the present chief executive and was re-elected at the last election for a third term. He is a Democrat and he and the Lieutenant Governor on that ticket were the only representatives of the

Montans.

While here Governor Toole was escorted about the Fair by William C. Buskett, Executive Commissioner for Montans.

Captain W. T. Ellis of Owensboro, a member of the Kentucky Commission, is

in charge of the Kentucky Pavilion at the

In charge of the Kentucky Favinon at the World's Fair for the remainder of the Exposition. Each member of the commission has been at the Kentucky Pavilion for two weeks, and Captain Ellis is the last to serve. He is a former Congressman, and is one of the most prominent members of the bar of the Blue-Grass State.

Notice to World's Fair Exhibitors.

The Official Award Ribbon Committee

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THANKSGIVING MEETING.

CLERGYMEN WILL HOLD

WEEK AT WORLD'S FAIR

Anheuser-Busch Brewing Ass'n St. Louis, U.S.A.

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INTRODUCED FIRST BILL FOR THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Former Congressman Curtis of Iowa an Early Friend of the Exposition Is a Visitor.

Former Congressman George M. Curtis of Clinton, In., who introduced the first bill in Congress looking to a commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the Louisiana Purchase by an exposition in St. Louis, is a guest at the Iowa build-ing at the World's Fair. With Mrs. Curing at the World's Fair. With Mrs. Cur-tis he will spend several days viewing the Exposition.

Company to reproduce features of the City of Jerusalem at the World's Fair, and that it expended about \$400,000 in con-

that it expended about \$400,000 in constructing buildings and installing exhibits. The Exposition Company agreed to furnish electric light and water not later than April 30, 1896, but failed to do so, and the Jerusalem Company was prevented from keeping open at night until after June 1, it is alleged. The Exposition Company failed to make certain other improvements until after April 30, and kept whres in front of the plaintiff's exhibit, which prevented visitors from entering, it is alleged, for all of which \$112,000 damages are asked.

The Exposition Company requested the Jerusalem Company to print \$5,000 sheet posters, promising to have them put upon billboards in different cities and towns of the United States, but failed in this also, it is alleged. Damages in the sum of \$10,000 are asked on this count.

The Exposition Company, it is alleged, also requested the plaintiff to erect a band stand, agreeing to furnish a barn at a cost of \$400 to \$500 a day, but failed to do so, to the colaintiff's alleged damage in the sum of \$2,700.

The Exposition Company, it is alleged, agreed to pay the plaintiff for loss occasioned by granting to others the right to sell goods such as are sold in Jerusalem, but failed to do so, and \$7,500 damages are asked.

Two thousand dollars is asked for the The bill was introduced by Mr. Curtis at The bill was introduced by Mr. Curtis at the request of a committee composed of President Francis, and F. W. Lehman, 8eth Cobb and T. K. Niedringhaus of the Exposition directory. This was at a time when war with Spain was threatened, and on this account the bill was not given favorable consideration. The bill which finally passed was introduced by Congressman James A. Tawney of Minnesota.

Mr. Curtis visited the Exposition in June. From here he went to Batule Creek for his health, and he came direct from that place to St. Louis to remain until the Fair closes.

MILLINERY TRAVELERS MEET AT WORLD'S FAIR.

es, Held at Ameciation's Building, Followed by Trip About Grounds.

The Millinery Traveling Men's Associa-Louis, Chicago, Kansas City, Indianapolis, St. Joseph and Louisville, held their first annual convention yesterday in the Travel-ers' Protective Association's building on

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ers' Protective Association's building on the Fair grounds.

E. W. Dunham, former national president; L. T. LaBeaune, national secretary and treasurer; George W. Smith, local secretary of the Missouri post, received the delegates at the building. Speeches were made by J. C. Norris, George W. Smith, W. A. Zukoski, Burt Essex, L. B. Rosenthal, Benjamin J. Strauss, B. Blase and Richard Hanlon.

After the session a luncheon was held and the Boer War visited. This evening the delegates visited the Pike in a body. To-morrow the organization will hold a business session at the Hoffman Hotel, Seventh street and Washington avenue, and at night will attend a banquet at the West End Hotel.

NAMES COMMITTEE TO GET COMMEMORATIVE MATERIAL

The Exposition Board of Directors at its meeting yesterday appointed an important committee to secure material commorative of the Louisiana Purchase Ex-

The committee consists of Mesers. D. C. Nugent, J. E. Smith, Charles W. Knapp, Nathan Frank and F. W. Lehmann. It will take up the task of collecting the necessary data.



ONE OF DR. CUPID'S PRESCRIPTIONS.

That Love sometimes cures disease is a fact that has recently been called to the attention of the public by a prominent physician and college professor. In some nervous diseases of women, such as hysteria, this physician gives instances where women were put in a pleasant frame of mind, were made happy by falling in love, and in consequence were cured of their nervous troubles—the weak, nervous system toned and stimulated by little Dr. Cupid—became strong and vigorous, almost without their knowledge. Many a woman is nervous and irritable, feels dragged down and worn out, for no reason that she can think of. She may be ever so much in love, but Dr. Cupid fails to cure her. In ninety-nine per cent. of these cases it is the womanly organism which requires attention; the weak back, diazy spells and black circles about the eyen, are only symptoms. Go to the source of the trouble and correct the irregularities, the drains on the womanly system and the other symptoms disappear. So sure of it is the World's Dispensary Medical Association, proprietors of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, that they offer a 550 reward for women who cannot be eared of leucorrhes, female weakness, prolapsus, or falling of the womb. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure. Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets clear the complexion and sweeten the breath, they cleanse and regulate the stomach, liver and bowels and produce permanent benefit and do not react on the system. One is a gentle lexative.

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Palaces and Attends Two Functions.

Guest of Honor at Lady Managers' Reception and Again at Banquet Given by Japanese Ministry.

Prince Sadanaru Fushimi of Japan spent one of the busiest days yesterday since his arrival in the United States. The entertainment planned for royal party entered the World's Fair grounds, until almost midnight, when the banquet tendered in his honor at the St. Louis Club by the Japanese Minister.

came to a close. On his arrival at the grounds yesterday morning the Prince and his party witnessed a dress parade by the five companies of the Sixteenth United States Infantry, stationed on the grounds,

President Francis, Major General John C. Bates and Judge Wilbur F. Boyle met the royal party on their arrival at the parade grounds. The Prince reviewed the United States troops with great interest, and complimented Colonel D. Price, com-manding officer, on their splendid bearing and military attainments.

VISITS EXHIBIT PALACES. The Prince and his party in turn visited the exhibit palaces. Later a luncheon was tendered the Prince at the Japanese pa-

the exhibit palaces. Later a luncheon was tendered the Prince at the Japanese pavilion. Following the luncheon, the party visited the Anthropology building, and from there went to the home of the Board of Lady Managers, where a reception was tendered from 3 to 5 o'clock.

The Prince and his party were received in the Grand Saion. Both the saion and the banquet room, where an elaborate lunch was served later, were appropriately decorated for the occasion with Japanese and American flags.

Mrs. Daulel Manning, president of the Board stood at the head of the receiving line. Next to Mrs. Manning stood Prince Fushimi. Other members of the Prince's party who were in the receiving line were A. Sato, Grand Master of the Household of the Prince; M. Hloki, charge d'affairs of Japan; Count Terashima, Captain Takeshita, Major Mihara, aid decamp to the Prince; M. Watauabe, master of ceremonies; Doctor Rokkaku, and the interpreter, S. H. Tokloka.

Opposite the receiving line was a column of honor, composed of United States Army officers, including Major Cecil, and officers if his staff. Captain Wright of Jefferson Barracks stood at the head of the column ind presented the guests as they arrived to Mrs. Manning.

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to Mrs. Manning.

The Prince were the full uniform of his ank, with many decorations.

Well's Band, stationed in the hall, discoursed music throughout the hours. The sanquet-room, where refreshments were erved, was decorated with flags, chrygan-hemums and carnations.

The decorations were in charge of Mrs. William Coleman and Mrs. Mary Phelps Montgomery, members of the board, and were among the finest of their kind to be seen at any of the World's Fair functions. The center table was decorated with two args hearts, forming a crown; one representing the American colors and the other he Japanese.

HANDSOME TOILETS.

Mrs. Dore Lyon, brown velves.

Mrs. Frederick A. Betts, black and white
figured silk.

Mrs. Norris B. Gregg, shell pink colored

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Miss Florence Hayward, brown velvet.
Mrs. S. Ray, white silk.
Mrs. Thomas McKittrick, white saitn,
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Mrs. Pranklin Ferriss, black silk.
Mrs. Henry Scott, gray silk.
Mrs. Henry Scott, gray silk.
Mrs. Louis M. McCall, white silk creps.
Mrs. William Coleman, handsome gown o white antique lace.
Mrs. Mary Phelps Montgomery, cream saitn.
Mrs. Finis P. Firnest, gray silk.
Mrs. Helen Boics-Hursicker, white lace.
Mrs. Frantis L. Porter, white lace.
Mrs. Frederick M. Hanger, champagns-colorecrept.

repe.
Miss Anna L. Dawes, black lace and slik.
Mrs. William H. Johnston, blue crepe.
Mrs. Carl Von Mayhoff, pale-blue slik crepe.
Mrs. W. E. Androws, white cloth.
Mrs. Belle I. Everest, white lace.
Mrs. Annie McLean Moores, handsome imorted sea foam slik embroidered gown.
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Mrs. John T. McHells, black lace and chiffer

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J. C. Van Blarcon, white satin.
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J. D. Bascom, brown velvet.
Edward Mallinckroft, black lace.
J. L. Maturan, green velvet,
Fountain, brown velvet, white lace trim-

nings. Mrs. Anita Newcomb McGes, black velvet. Miss Kate Cari, gray silk. Among those present were:

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President D. R. Francis, Judge Franklin Ferriss, Doctor WJ McGee, Admiral Schley, Francis Cari, E. S. Feider, Frederick A. Betts,
Judge Lindsay, John Allen, Norman Mack,
Archbishop Glennon, John A. Miller, Count de
la Vaux, Wong Kal Kah, C. W. Knapp, Baron
A. R. von Sthrai, Judge W. F. Boyle, A. L.
Shapleigh, Philip D. Scott, Laurence H. Grahame, Lieutenant Colonel Samuel W. Fountain,
Captain C. H. Conrad, Captain Robert L.
Howze, Captain George Vidmer, Lieutenant
Austin A. Parker, Lieutenant A. C. Seaman.

ZUFSTYS AT BANQUET. GUESTS AT BANQUET.

Last evening the Prince and his party were guests of honor at a banquet given at the St. Louis Club by the Japanese Minister to the United States. Owing to his recent Illness, and his inability to be present, M. Hioki, charge d'Affaires, represented him as host. Toasts were responded to by the Prince, by M. Hioki, guests at the banquet included the fol-lowing: Count Terashima and Major Mihara. The

lowing:

Prince Fushimi, President Francis, M. Hioki, Mayor Wells, Count Terashima, Judge W. F. Boyle, Major Mihara, Commissioner Sejima, Commissioner Sepou, Kanzaki, Niwa, Inaba, Yamaguchi, Otsuka, Doctor Rokkuku, Major General Bates, General Rice, Judge Franklin Perriss, Messra, Skiff, Stevens, Knapp, Lee, Taylor, Spencer, W. B. Wells, Albertini, Nugent, Gehner, Crawford, Gregg, Butler, Hill, Wright, Walsh, Dodd, Davis, Stoehr, Huttig, Smith, Hirschberg, Lehman, Busch and Houser.

To-day the Prince will continue his visit To-day the Prince will continue his visit to the World's Fair, and to-night he will be the guest of honor at a reception to be given by Mayor Rolla Wells.

Change of Time. Illinois Central Railroad. Effective November 27, trains for the couth will leave Union Station as fol-

South will leave Union Station as follows:
7:45 a. m. Fast Mail-Nashville, Atlanta, Cairo, Memphis and New Orleans.
2:30 p. m. New Orleans Special-Cairo, Memphis and New Orleans.
4:30 p. m. Southern Illinois Accomodation

tion.

9:40 p. m. Dixie Flyer-Nashville, Chat-tanooga, Atlanta and Jacksonville, Florida.

9:40 p. m. New Orleans Limited-Cairo, Memphis, New Orleans and the South. City Ticket Office, 308 North Broadway. Roosevelt Sends His Thanks.

Walter Williams has received an auto-graph letter from President Roosevell thanking him for a copy of "The State of Missouri," which the President "found of great interest and value." The book arrived at the White House on election

Annual Ball of Sons of Veterans.

The annual grand military ball of the General F. Schaefer Camp, No. 23, Sons of Veterans, U. S. A., will be given to-night in Benton Park Hall, No. 2314 South Jefferson avenue. Besides the dancing, preparations have been made for an elaborate supper.

MOTOR CAR CHASES DRIFTING AIRSHIP

Sees Troops Drill, Visits Exhibit | Engine of Benbow's Craft Goes Dead Soon After Start, Spoiling Flight.

U. S. REGULARS PLEASED HIM. GASOLINE ESCAPES FROM TANK

Aeronaut Lands in Crowd of Lindenwood School Children, Who Tow Meteor by Its Guy Ropes.

Benbow's airship, the Montana Meteor made a successful balloon ascension yesterday afternoon from the Aeronautic Concourse in the presence of a large crowd. The Meteor rose from the ground Prince and his party included every hour crowd. The Meteor rose from the ground of the day, from 10:30 a. m., when the at 2:08 o'clock, sailed over the south fence without making any entangling alliances. and striking a height of perhaps 200 feet. salled due south for four miles. landing on the commons between Scanlan and Jamison avenues in Lindenwood in the southwest part of the city.

The airship was up about forty-five min-utes. It did not return under its own power, but was toted back by an automobile. The flight of the Meteor furnished an exciting handicap race between the airship and a buge Winton motor car driven by George Arbuckle, who, since the airship trials, has become the official airship chaser. Arbuckle gave Benbow a fifteen-minute start, and although the automobile had hard roads to travel, he was beaten only by a few minutes in the race. The tame finish of the Meteor was due.

Henbow claims, to the loss of his gaso-line. The tank sprung a leak and its contents was lost, causing the motor to go 'dead.'

The start was made under the most fa-vorable weather conditions. The airship also was fit and ready for the flight of its existence. Benbow was ready for the start shortly after 2 o'clock, when the leak in the tank was discovered and it took nearly an hour to solder it.

When the airship finally left the ground at 3.66 it rose slowly to a height of 266 feet. The propellers had not been started, as Benbow wished first to get rid of the surplus expansion gas in the balloon be-fore making any test of the dirigibility of Benbow claims, to the loss of his gaso-

fore making any test of the dirigibility of his vessel. SHIP DRIFTS LAZILY.

The craft drifted lazily to the south and west, first driving ahead with her prow turned in the direction she was proceed-

turned in the direction she was proceeding and at times forging ahead with her rudder in that direction. Occasionally the aeronaut worked the rudder and the ship would respond slowly and for short distances to this maneuver.

The ship had been up sixteen minutes before the propellers were observed to be revolving. The course was changd to due south. With occasional variations of the course to the east, which might have been induced by air currents and were not clearly proven to have been the calculated movements of a dirigible balloon, the ship proceeded until the landing was made some distance south and east of the Aerodrome.

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When the airship had been up fifteen minutes and it became evident that the aeronaut could not come back against the wind. Percy Hudson became solicitous for the gas which it contained. Gas is precious about the Aeronautic Concourse, as it is needed for the aerial fiotilla which will marshal in the skies for President Roosevel next Saturday.

The center table was decorated with two args hearts, forming a crown; one representing the American colors and the other he Japanese.

HANDSOME TOILETS.

Among the handsome toilets of the ladies noticed in the big gathering were the ollowing:

Mrs. D. R. Francis, gray velvet and lace with gray velvet toque.

Mrs. Daniel Manning, pale blue chiffon with black and sliver thread lace trimmings; diamed ornaments.

Mrs. Wong Kai Kah, handsome Oriental zown of figured slik; diamond ornaments.

Mrs. Norman E. Mack, black velvet.

Mrs. Frederick A. Betts, black and white four deals with a pursuit of the Meteor. In the car were press representatives, H. F. McGarvie, Willard A. Smith and George Arbuckie, the chauffeur.

Out along the Skinker road, through the Agriculture entrance, along bumpy and rutty dirt roads, up hill and down dale, the great motor car sped, with the airraising ride that any one of the occupants of the motor car ever had taken. Speed raising ride that any one of the occupants of the motor car ever had taken. Speed limits there were none. Steep, almost perpendicular, descents lay before the motor car, and at the sight of them the passengers gasped in terror. But Arbuckle was out to overtake the airship and save its precious gas if possible, and he recked not of precipices, but pulled out another notch and was down one hill and up another before the passengers had recovered their breath.

SURROUNDED BY SCHOOL CHIL-DREN. St. Louis County roads were not built for automobiles, but this did not "feaze" Arbuckle, and he plowed through the

Arbuckle, and he plowed through the rocky, rutty, serpentine and precipitous lanes in pursuit of the Meteor without ever slacking speed to any great extent. At last the motor car overtook the Meteor, which, by that time, had emulated the example of the Duke of York and had first gone up and then come down. The precious gas was saved and the motor car had not raced in vain.

Benbow was the center of a yelling, howling mob of some half a thousand school children, who had surrounded the outlandish craft just as it landed among them on their way home from school and were leading the airship in triumph by its guy ropes. He had landed gently, without a jar or injury to himself or his ship. In landing he deflated his balloon only a little.

out a jar ?? Injury to himself or his ship. In landing he deflated his balloon only a little.

Benbow said that his gasoline tank had sprung a leak and caused the motor to go dead. He explained that he had not started the motor sooner because the heat of the sun had expanded the gas in the balloon, causing it to escape at the neck. He feared that the spark from his motor might ignite the escaping gas.

The airship was towed back by an automobile without being deflated. It reached the Fair grounds last night at 10 o'clock.

TO DINE THE EMPLOYES.

New York State Commission Will Give a Thanksgiving Spread. The New York State Commission at the World's Fair will give a Thanksgiving dinner for all of the employes of the Commission, including attaches of the State Pavilion and those connected with the exhibits in the Horticultural, Agricultural, Forestry, Fish and Game, and Educational palaces. The dinner will take place at the New York State building. Colonel William Berri of Brooklyn, Vice President of the Commission, will preside, Mrs. Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, and the other member of the Commission now in St. Louis, will attend, as will Charles A. Sall, Secretary of the Commission; Mrs. Dore Lyon, hostess, and Mrs. Florence B. Applebee, the assistant hostess. The last meeting of the New York State Commission at the World's Fair will be held next Monday. All of the Commissioners are expected to be present, including President Edward H. Harriman. The Commissioners will be entertained at a dinner that evening by Baynat and Pinto, the caterers of the pavillon.

TO SLIDE A THOUSAND FEET. Acrobat to Make Thrilling Descent

Down Captive Balloon Cable, This afternoon, between the hours of 2 and 4, at the Aeronautic Concourse, weather permitting, Earl R. Cozad of Quincy, Ill., will make a spectacular slide of 1,000 feet down the cable holding the captive

leet down the cable rotating the captve balloon.

In making the descent Mr. Cozad sildes down the cable, holding by his hands, which are protected with rubber guards to prevent them from being burned by the friction. Cozad has made several sildes from heights of 1,000 to 1,500 feet at San Francisco, Cal.; New Orleans, La., and Portland, Ore. California Fruit to Visitors California Fruit Day will be celebrated

to-day in the Sacramento Valley exhibit of the Palace of Agriculture. A carload of

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McALLISTER'S CHRISTMAS By Arthur Train "McAllister's Christmas," the story of a clubman's strange Christmas experience in the world of court and prison, comes out of a very unusual special knowledge gained from Mr. Train's work in the District Attorney's office. McAllister is a real creation. Illustrations by F. C. Yohn.

PAUL VERONESE By Kenyon Cox One of the most suggestive and illuminative of recent papers on art. Mr. Cox has devoted himself to a broad and intelligible consideration of the great painter's significance and contribution to art. The article is illustrated by photographs of great beauty from the paintings.

SCENES FROM THE OLD BALLADS By Reatrice Stevens A group of eight full-page pictures in rich colors, depicting scenes from Robin Hood, King Estmere, and others of the famous old ballad stories.

JOHN FOX. JR. Making for Manchuria The amusing and annoying experiences of s war correspondent on the way to Port Arthur, with exquisite passages of a descriptive character.

EDITH WHARTON The Pot-Boiler This story of Mrs. Wharton's deals with a sacrifice of ideals and its somewhat unusual reception by its beneficiary. In Mrs. Wharton's hands the situation does more than pique curiosity and becomes of the closest interest, with the suggestion

of a significant moral. Illustrated by Raymond W. Croeby. CHARLES BELMONT DAVIS Mr. Davis has written the story of a bank teller and the singular psychological situation which led him to break away into a curious series of adventures. The story is sympathetic as well as strong. Illustrated by N. C. Wyeth.

BY GUY WETMORE CARRYL William, Alfy and Henry John A tale of the three irresistibly comical children of Saunders, the gardener. Illustrated by May Wilson Preston.

SYDNEY PRESTON The Corner Cupboard Man A story by the author of "The Green Pige," which keeps the reader smiling situations and devices as humorous and ingenious as some of Stockton's.

Illustrated by Edwin B. Child.

OCTAVE THANET The Angel of His Youth The story of a man's re-acquaistance with the woman who had been the ideal of his young manhood; a new aspect of an old theme. GEORGE BUCHANAN FIFE. Volume VII
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READY TO DINE THE LITTLE FOLK

Children Will Be Entertained and Fed at Model Playgrounds To-Morrow.

Invitation cards to the Thanksgiving dinner will be distributed to the World's Fair children at the Model Playgrounds at noon to-day. All the children residing at the World's Fair who have not received invitation cards to the dinner may receive them to-day by calling at the

Model Playgrounds. Frederick A. Betts, and Colin M. Selph of the Committee on Arrangements announced last evening that all the details of the big dinner had been completed. Weil's Band will furnish music for the occasion, and the pavillon at the Model Playgrounds, where the dinner will be

Playgrounds, where the dinner will be served will be gayly decorated in American flags and bunting. The dinner will be served at 12 o'clock, at the close of the exercises in Festival Hall.

Prayer will be offered by the Reverend Columbus Polk Goodson of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church, who is well known for his great interest in children. About 250 chi'dren will be present at the dinner. The tables will be decorated with potted plants and flowers, and all the appointments of the affair will be in keeping with many of the fine functions held at the World's Fair.

In addition to the fine dinner to be served, all the children will receive a box of candy and a souvenir.

Carriages will convey the children to and from the playgrounds from all parts of the Exposition.

TWO BENEFITS FOR BOER AND BRITISH PERFORMERS.

Evening Performances of South African War Spectacle Set Aside for the Soldiers.

The evening performances of the Boer War vesterday and to-day have been set and British from the Boer War Camp were scattered over the Fair grounds yesterday morning and at every entrance, telling visitors about their coming benefit performances. This was an excellent way of informing the public at short notice, and so thoroughly did they do their work that the result was most gratifying, a large crowd being gathered to witness the special programme presented for the occasion. Many friends of the soldiers, who have before obtained free passes into the grand stand, arrived early and bought box-seat tickets.

The special events put on in addition to the usual programme added further interest to the show and were loudly appland ed. General Viljoen and Captain Dix were the respective winners for their sides in the "melee de rose" competition. The tug-of-war competition on horseback and 'wrestling on horseback" followed and were novel and interesting.

The tug of war resulted in one win for each side, and the final will be settled tonight. The Boers were successful in the mgnt. The Boers were successful in the wrestling bout, but the British team say they will "get their own back" to-night. A very amusing number was the race between Field Cornet Thiederman, mounted, and Charles C. Klipatrick, champion one-legged cyclist of the world. Klipatrick is well known to many of the Boers, having performed in the largest theaters in South Africa. The result was a win for Klipatrick

Klipatrick
With one or two additions the same programme will be enacted at the 7:20 o'clock performance to-night, which is also given as a benefit for the employes of the Boer War, the Exposition authorities having kindly allowed the percentage ordinarily due them. This benefit is for employes, who, since June II, have been playing for the amusement of the public, some having been matmed for life in the execution of their dangerous duties.

Family Eloped From St. Louis. REPUBLIC SPECIAL New York, Nov. 22.—His whole family, consisting of a wife and four children,

consisting of a wife and four children, having eloped with a former boarder when he supposed they had gone for a day to the Wor.d's Fair, Joseph Roso of St. Louis has come to New York, where he was married fifteen years ago and where he hopes to find his missing family. After watching the Union Station at St. Louis for several weeks. Roso came here and is stopping with his wife's father. Tony Krudi. at No. 85 Riving street, while waiting for information of his eloping family.

CLAIM RAILROADS MAKE UNJUST RATES

Governor Van Sant Urges That Interstate Commission Should Have More Power.

MERGERS REMOVE SAFEGUARD

May Advocate Government Ownership of Traffic Systems as Plank in Dem-

ipon the great lines of transportation and this action is not sought with any de-sire to injure them or do them an injustice. But as the great combinations of rallways have practically eliminated the question of competition, formerly a sufficient safeguard, it seems the most feasible plan left to protect the public from unreasonable and unjust rates.

"The railroad is a neccesity, but shou not be allowed to become a monopoly. "If railroad companies are permitted to exercise the unrestricted power of rate making and they continue to exercise it unjustly as they inevitably will, a strong sentiment will be created for Govern-ment ownership. It is apparent that Mr. Bryan will advocate this as the main

ment ownership. It is apparent that Mr. Bryan will advocate this as the main plank of the Democratte platform in 1908. "Government ownership would be a dangerous experiment, but I believe that 80 per cent of the people who have studied the question believe that the Interstate Commerce Commission should have the authority to replace rates discriminating against localities and individuals with just and reasonable rates."

In these words Governor A. B. Cummins of lowa to-day outlined his reasons for urging enlargement of the powers of the Interstate Commerce Commission immediately. With Governor Van Sant of Minnesota, who is now in Washington, and Governor La Follatte of Wisconsin, he has brought this question before President Roosevelt.

Various localities throughout the United States, he declares, were subjected to arbitrary oppression, from which there is now no rellef.

"There is now no competition in ratemaking," said Governor Cummins to-day. "Mark the distinction between getting business and ratemaking. There is plenty of the former; none of the latter. Considering all the railroads in the United States, I am told that within the last four years there has been an increase of 40 per cent in their net revenues; and not more than i or 5 per cent in their mileage. "This at least creates the presumption that too much is charged for transportation.

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stances.

"Everyone knows that the railroads are now organized into a few systems so far as freight rates are concerned, which they fix to suit themselves. What we ask is that when the Interstate Commerce Commission has investigated alleged discriminatory rates and finds that they are unfair, that it shall have the authority to impose a rate which it considers reasonable to remain in force until the railroads by appeal to the courts show that the commission acted improperly or unjustly." MOTHER SEEKS NEWS

OF HER RUNAWAY BOY.

Chester Allen White Has Been Missing From Iown Since September.

Chester Allen White, aged 14, has been nissing from his home in Albia, Ia., since September 6, and his parents fear that he has met with some accident or foul play. Governor Cummins Says Bryan His mother, Mrs. Agnes White, came to St. Louis Monday morning and has been prosecuting an unavailing search for him

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He repeatedly expressed a desire to visit the World's Fair, but the opportunity was lacking because none of the family were coming to St. Louis and they feared to trust him so far away from home alone. When school opened on September 5, he was promised a visit to the Portland Fair next summer if he would abandon the trip to St. Louis and attend school this winter and he seemingly acquiesced very willingly. He was forced to finish his course in Latin in order to graduate and this is alleged as the cause for his sudden disappearance the second day of school. On September 6, after the decision that he must pursue his study of Latin, he started for school, but never arrived there. When he falled to come home that night his parents began an investigation and found that he had drawn his money out of the bank, which he had earned by selling milk, and bought a ticket for St. Louis. As he had bought a seven-day excursion round-trip ticket his parents decided to permit him to visit the Fair without molestation is to give to this parents with the opportunity was lacking because none of the family were coming to St. Louis and they feared to trust him so far away from home alone. When school opened on September 5, he was promised a visit to the Portland Pair next summer if he would abandon the trip to St. Louis and attend school this winter and he seemingly acquiesced very willingly. He was forced to finish his course in Latin in order to graduate and this is alleged as the cause for his sudden disappearance the second day of school. On September 6, after the decision that he must pursue his study of Latin, he started for school, but never arrived there. When he falled to come home that night his parents began an investigation and found that he had drawn his money out of the bank, which he had earned by selling milk, and bought a seven-day excursion round-trip ticket for St. Louis. As he had bought a seven-day excursion round-trip ticket for St. Louis. As he had bought a seven-day excu visit the World's Fair, but the opportunity

LAST MORTGAGE PAID.

Lee Avenue Presbyterian Church Freed From Debt. A general reunion of former officials and nembers of the Lee Avenue Presbyterian

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Church was held last night to commemorate the paying of the last mortgage held against the congregation.

By a special effort of the pastor, the Reverend Henry C. Gardner, the debt was paid last week, and the church is now free of all incumbrance for the first time since it was organized twelve years ago. Mr. Gardner has been pastor of the church for nine years, and has seen it grow from a mission chanel to a congregation of quite a large membership.

The service was opened last night with an invocation by the Reverend Doctor F. H. Auf der Heide, foilowed by prayer by the Reverend Frank Foster.

Addresses were delivered by the Reverend C. H. Rauch. Henry Schroeder, Dayton Numbers, C. H. McClure, C. H. Maschmeier, Joseph L. Meyer and Warren D. Isenberg, all former officials of the church, also made a few remarks.

The speaking was interspersed with singing by a quartet and the children of the Sunday-school classes.

COMING FOR PRESIDENT DAY. Large Party From Detroit Will Are

rive at Fair Friday. Detroit will send down a large delegathe World's Fair, while it is stated that the World's Fair, while it is stated that several thousand persons will arrive Friday and Saturday from Michigan to witness the ceremonies of the day.

A. L. Thayer of Detroit, a prominent railway magnate, has made reservations at the Monticello Hotel for 125 persons, all prominent business men of that city, who will arrive Friday evening.

President's March to Be Played. When the President visits the Fair next Saturday, Rudolph Aronson's new military march "Our President" will be played for "The excessive rates charged are, however, as a whole of lesser concern that the first time by the Exposition Orchest in the unequal and unfair distribution of rates between localities. This has been fully demonstrated in hearings before the Interstate Commerce Commission, and it

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